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| <b>U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                    |                                                                                                                                                        |                                  |                |                  |          |                            |
| *EXAMINER INITIALS                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                    | DOCUMENT NUMBER                                                                                                                                        | DATE                             | NAME           | CLASS            | SUBCLASS | FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE |
| AR                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | AA                 | 2,275,098                                                                                                                                              | 3/3/42                           | I.F. Welch     | 223              | 83       |                            |
| AR                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | AB                 | 2,518,300                                                                                                                                              | 8/8/50                           | J.A. Fine, Sr. | 223              | 83       |                            |
| AR                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | AC                 | 1,879,918                                                                                                                                              | 9/27/32                          | J.W. Steele    |                  |          |                            |
| AR                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | AD                 | 1,777,814                                                                                                                                              | 10/7/30                          | C.S. Vita      |                  |          |                            |
| AR                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | AE                 | 1,876,814                                                                                                                                              | 9/13/32                          | E.W. Wilson    |                  |          |                            |
| AR                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | AF                 | 2,560,684                                                                                                                                              | 7/17/51                          | C.A. Calder    | 223              | 83       |                            |
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|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | AK                 |                                                                                                                                                        |                                  |                |                  |          |                            |
| <b>FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                    |                                                                                                                                                        |                                  |                |                  |          |                            |
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| <b>OTHER PRIOR ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)</b>                                                                                                                                                                    |                    |                                                                                                                                                        |                                  |                |                  |          |                            |
| AR                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | AR                 | Patent Drawings - document #620627, dated 1959.<br>Patent Drawings – document # 87,090, dated 1954.<br>Patent Drawings – document #160,936 dated 1953. |                                  |                |                  |          |                            |
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| EXAMINER                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <i>a. Varanita</i> |                                                                                                                                                        | DATE CONSIDERED                  |                | <i>3/29/04</i>   |          |                            |
| <i>*EXAMINER- Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.</i> |                    |                                                                                                                                                        |                                  |                |                  |          |                            |
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